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(Start of Belt #10)

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator DeCamp asked to have the bill temporarily laid over.

SPEAKER: Are there any objections? If not, so ordered. What's the next bill, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: LB 45..correction 550.. Read Title. There are Committee amendments, Mr. President.

SPEAKER: The chair recognizes Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, I move the adoption of the Committee amendments and since the amendments will realte to the bill, I'll explain that and the bill at the same time and give an idea of what it does. Now, this bill allows the school district to hold bond election..

SPEAKER: Just a minute, Senator Chambers. Since you are going to wat1 and explain the amendments of the bill, let's adopt the Committee amendments.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I move the adoption of the Committee amendments.

SPEAKER: OK. Those in favor of adopting the Committee amendments say aye. Those opposed say no. Senator Chambers, will you please explain the bill.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: This would cause bond elections to be held with the state wide..in conjunction with the state wide primaries of the general election. It provides for the issuing of absent and disabled ballots and the counting of the same. It sets out the specific number of days prior to the election which notices shall be filed, which dates coincide with the general election laws under Chapter 32. Bond elections may be also held at special elections. Procedures are established for carrying this out and it tells the county clerk and the election commissioner what they must do in carrying out these responsibilities. I move that this bill as amended be advanced to E & R Initial.

SPEAKER: It has been moved that LB 550 be advanced. Any discussion? If not, we will have a machine vote. Those in favor of advancing LB 550 vote aye. Those opposed vote nay. Senator Whitney voting aye. Have you all voted? The clerk will record.

SPEAKER: LB 550 advances. LB 552, is that the next bill?

CLERK: Reat title. LB 552. There are Committee amendments by Senator Chambers' Government Committee.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, I move the adoption of the Committee amendments to LB 552.

SPEAKER: The motion is to adopt the Committee amendments. Any discussion? Those in favor say aye. Those opposed no. The Committee amendments have been adopted. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: If you would like to read along with me, I am going to read about LB 552. This bill provides the procedures for the filing of candidates for township offices. It also provides for four year terms for those people filing for offices, township offices, making their term the same as for all other elected officials. It provides for those counties under township organization to change their procedures for electing members for their governing board from district to at large and from at large to district by petition circulated by the electorate requesting the change in procedures voted upon at a general election. In addition, it provides for the